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For : CELL STIMULATING DEVICE AND CELL STIMULATING METHOD

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO NOTICE OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Defective Response mailed on February 22, 2008, Applicants hereby submit:

- CD-ROM containing the Sequence Listing in computer readable format;
- Paper copy of the Sequence Listing (2 pages); and
- Statement to Support Filing of Sequence Listing in accordance with 37 CFR §§
 1.821-1.825.

Inasmuch as this reply is filed by the one-month date (March 22, 2008 being a Saturday), no Extension of Time is believed necessary. However, should an Extension of Time be deemed necessary, the same is hereby explicitly requested and the Office is hereby authorized to charge

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the requisite fee or any fee necessary to ensure the pendency of the present application to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.